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Applicant: Brian N. Tufte

Serial No.: 10/074,364 Examiner: Negron, Ismael

Filing Date: February 12, 2002 Group Art Unit: 2875

For: LIGHTING APPARATUS

Docket No.: 1076.1101104

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 Amendment in response to office action dated September 16, 2003 The fee has been calculated as shown:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED							
	(3) REMAINING CLAIMS	(4) HIGHEST PAID	(5) EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY		OTHER	
TOTAL CLAIMS	28-	22=	6	x9=	\$	x18=	\$ 108
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4-	3=	1	x43=	\$	x86=	\$ 86
() FIRST MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM			+145=	\$	+290=	\$	
TOTAL				\$	\$194.00		

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Non-Final Official Action of the Examiner mailed September 16, 2003, setting a three-month shortened statutory period for response ending December 16, 2003.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

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